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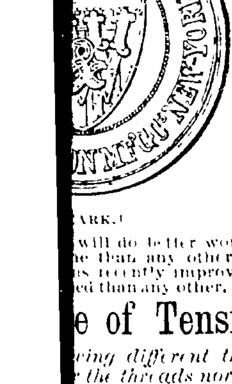
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WIT AND HUMOR.

"Kole Oyle 60 cents a gal," is a Macon (Ga.) sign.

The drum on which the Greeleyites beat the tattoo—New England rum.

A man was fined $20 and costs in St. Louis for reading the Riot act to a lamp-post.

Lavater says: "You never know a man until you have divided an inheritance with him."

The young ladies of the period must be given to dreamy speculations, they build such castles in the (h)air.

Dr. Greeley mentions that ice-water should be drank very sparingly this hot weather, unless the ice is perfectly ripe.

A disgusted theatre-goer says, "There's no plays like home" for him. He retired singing to himself "Home, a Gain."

The way they muzzle dogs in most of the Western towns is by placing the muzzle behind the ear and pulling the trigger.

Take away from mankind their vanity and their ambition, and there would be but few claiming to be heroes or patriots.

To a correspondent—You have been imposed upon, "The penny's mightier than the sword, is not a correct quotation."

A farmer had a calf so contrary, he said, that he "had to pull his ears off to make him suck, and pull his tail off to make him let go.

The English are taught at an early age to support the monarchy. Most every school boy has had the prints of wales upon his back.

If comfort were the only consideration to be thought of in dressing this weather, one could get along easily with a pair of slippers and an umbrella.

Mrs. Shoddy puckered up her mouth genteelly and told a gentleman friend that one of her lovely daughters was a "bluenet" and the other a "bronze."

A young lady wrote a loving epistle to her beau requesting that he would come to her immediately, as his absence was a perfect "bore" to her tender feelings.

At the funeral of a woman recently, a sympathetic and admiring neighbor volunteered the information that "for patient resignation the corpse could dance all around any woman living."

A country girl writes to a male acquaintance: "Come over and see me; we have a new lamp at our house that we can turn down, down until there is scarcely a bit of light in the room."

A blind woman in Iowa has learned to thread a needle with her teeth and tongue. "Is there anything in the world that a woman's tongue cannot do —or undo?" asks an exchange. We will think about it.

An aged colored man made application at Washington for food, claiming it as a constitutional privilege. "Why," said he, "I understan' dar's provisions in de Constitution for de colored folks, and I haven't had de fust crumb."

In trembling accents a young lover of Mobile, Ala., put to his sweetheart the important question of his life, but she replied with the utmost calmness and a sweet sigh of resignation, "Anything to beat Grant, dear."

A gentleman who has been doing the "comforts" of a country boarding house says that his bed constantly reminded him of Richard III., because it was "Deformed, unfinished and scarce half made up.

A curmudgeon of a bachelor says that if you hand a lady a newspaper with a scrap cut out of it, not a line of it will be read, but every bit of interest the paper possesses is centered in finding out what the missing scrap contained.

A Berkshire papa observed to his daughter's beau: "Jim, if you want to marry Lou you can have her; but I don't want you hanging around unless you mean business. If you intend to marry her, hurry up, for I can't be kept awake nights much longer.

HE stood on his head on the wild seashore, and joy was the cause of the act; for he felt as he never had felt before—insanely glad, in fact. And why? In that vessel which sailed from the bay, his mother in law had sailed to a tropical country far away, where tigers and snakes prevailed. And more than one of his creditors, too—those objects of constant dread—had taken berth in the ship Curlew, whose sails were so blithly spread. Oh! now he might look for a quiet life, which he never had known as yet ('tis true that he still possessed a wife, and was not quite out of debt.)— But he watched the vessel, this singular chap, o'er the waves, as she upped and downed, and he felt exactly as if the "edifice was crowned," Till over the horizon's edge she disappeared from view; then he leaped upon a chalky ledge, and danced like a kangaroo! And many a joyous lay he pealed o'er the sunset sea, till down with a "fizz" sank the orb of the day, and then he went home to tea.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected aed honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.— Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individual's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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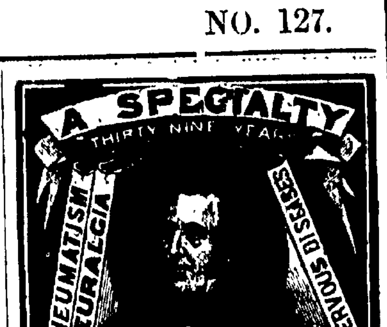
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5:30 A. M. .... 5:35 P. M.

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GOING NORTH.
11.31 A. M. .... 2:40 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 30 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:15 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

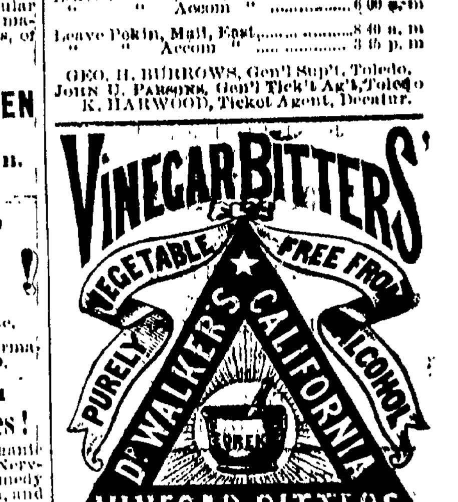
FREIGHT.

No. 14 - Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 15 p. m

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FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood or at the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters have no equal.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful. **Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood,** which is generally produced by derangement of the **Digestive Organs.**

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April 1, 1872- d-tf.

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Reliable Fire Insurance

NEW YORK

UNDERWRITERS'

AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

$3,666,242.85.

CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York.

GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through here successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

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AGENTS, DECATUR, ILLS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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OF NEW YORK CITY.

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

Cash Capital,

One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,

$2,509,526.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire Paid

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST INSURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.

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$3,212,176.

The OLD NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 10th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 78 years.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,

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And continues to offer its services to those seeking RELIABLE INDEMNITY against Fire.

Compton Policies in the above Sterling Old Co. by apply to

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts; size, 76x156 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 85x110 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 1, fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts; lot 8, 83 feet front, lot 9, 43 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 57x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 4 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x150 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $600, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable all in good repair; lot 50x100 ft., fronting on William st; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block 1, in southwestern addition, 79 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres, about 3½ miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house of 7 rooms, good cellar, well and necessary out-buildings. All under good cultivation, except 15 acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding-house; a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

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April 1, 1872-d-tf

WIT AND HUMOR.

"Kole Oyle 60 cents a gal," is a Macon (Ga.) sign.

The drum on which the Greeleyites beat the tattoo—New Englan-d rum.

A man was fined $20 and costs in St. Louis for reading the Riot act to a lamp-post.

Lavater says: "You never know a man until you have divided an inheritance with him."

The young ladies of the period must be given to dreamy speculations, they build such castles in the (h)air.

Dr. Greeley mentions that ice-water should be drank very sparingly this hot weather, unless the ice is perfectly ripe.

A disgusted theatre-goer says, "There's no plays like home" for him. He retired singing to himself "Home, a Gain."

The way they muzzle dogs in most of the Western towns is by placing the muzzle behind the ear and pulling the trigger.

Take away from mankind their vanity and their ambition, and there would be but few claiming to be heroes or patriots.

To a correspondent—You have been imposed upon, "The penny's mightier than the sword," is not a correct quotation."

A farmer had a calf so contrary, he said, that he "had to pull his ears off to make him suck, and pull his tail off to make him let go.

The English are taught at an early age to support the monarchy. Most every school boy has had the prints of wales upon his back.

If comfort were the only consideration to be thought of in dressing this weather, one could get along easily with a pair of slippers and an umbrella.

Mrs. Shoddy puckered up her mouth genteelly and told a gentleman friend that one of her lovely daughters was a "bluenet" and the other a "bronze."

A young lady wrote a loving epistle to her beau requesting that he would come to her immediately, as his absence was a perfect "bore" to her tender feelings.

At the funeral of a woman recently, a sympathetic and admiring neighbor volunteered the information that "for patient resignation the corpse could dance all around any woman living."

A country girl writes to a male 'acquaintance: "Come over and see me; we have a new lamp at our house that we can turn down, down until there is scarcely a bit of light in the room."

A blind woman in Iowa has learned to thread a needle with her teeth and tongue. "Is there anything in the world that a woman's tongue cannot do—or undo?" asks an exchange. We will think about it.

An aged colored man made application at Washington for food, claiming it as a constitutional privilege. "Why," said he, "I understan' dar's provisions in de Constitution for de colored folks, and I haven't had de fust crumb."

In trembling accents a young lover of Mobile, Ala., put to his sweetheart the important question of his life, but she replied with the utmost calmness and a sweet sigh of resignation, "Anything to beat Grant, dear."

A gentleman who has been doing the "comforts" of a country boarding house says that his bed constantly reminded him of Richard III., because it was "Deformed, unfinished and scarce half made up.

A curmudgeon of a bachelor says that if you hand a lady a newspaper with a scrap cut out of it, not a line of it will be read, but every bit of interest the paper possesses is centered in finding out what the missing scrap contained.

A Berkshire papa observed to his daughter's beau: "Jim, if you want to marry Lou you can have her; but I don't want you hanging around unless you mean business. If you intend to marry her, hurry up, for I can't be kept awake nights much longer.

HE stood on his head on the wild seashore, and joy was the cause of the act; for he felt as he never had felt before—insanely glad, in fact. And why? In that vessel which sailed from the bay, his mother in law had sailed to a tropical country far away, where tigers and snakes prevailed. And more than one of his creditors, too—those objects of constant dread—had taken berth in the ship Curlew, whose sails were so blithly spread. Oh! now he might look for a quiet life, which he never had known as yet ('tis true that he still possessed a wife, and was not quite out of debt.)—But he watched the vessel, this singular chap, o'er the waves, as she upped and downed, and he felt exactly as if the "edifice was crowned," Till over the horizon's edge she disappeared from view; then he leaped upon a chalky ledge, and danced like a kangaroo! And many a joyous lay he pealed o'er the sunset sea, till down with a "fizz" sank the orb of the day, and then he went home to tea.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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W. C. JOHNS,

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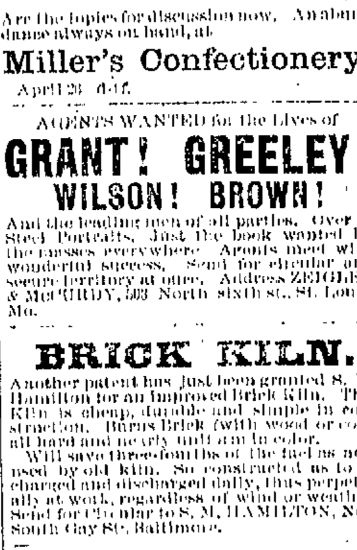
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"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 30 p. m

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Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

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No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 8:15 a. m.

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MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

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Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
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"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
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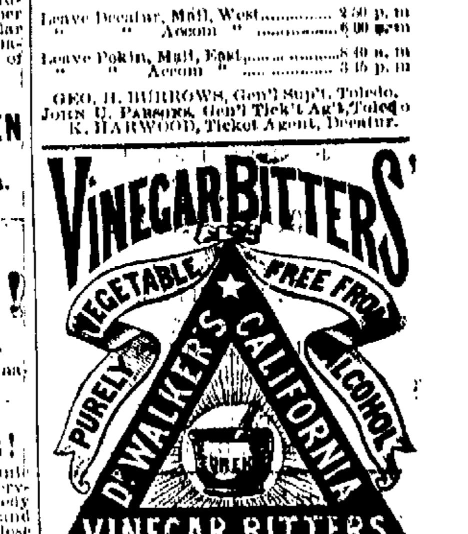
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Senatorial and Representative Convention.

The Republicans of Macon and DeWitt counties will meet in delegate convention at Maroa, on Thursday, August 29, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating one Senator and two Representatives to represent this district in the State Legislature.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every three hundred votes cast for General Grant in 1868, which will be divided as follows:

Macon county.. 9
DeWitt county.. 5

On the afternoon of that day there will be a mass meeting of the citizens of both counties, in Maroa, at which addresses will be delivered by prominent gentlemen.

By order,
E. M. MISNER,
Chm. Cen. Com. Macon county.
P. S. ADAMS,
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THERE is nothing the rebels, the ex-rebels, and their many apologists, North and South, have so much to fear as centralization, and over nothing do the Liberal Democrats raise a more bitter wail. They want as little power in Washington as possible. They suffered too much from power there during the late contest, and if they should take a fancy to get up another little rebellion, they would prefer, if it will suit us as well, that they be not interfered with from that quarter.

THE Democracy of the Fifth Michigan District, have had a convention and chosen delegates to the Louisville Convention. One of their resolutions affirms that "we will only support men whose lives have borne testimony to their faith in the Democratic party, its principles, its history and its teachings."

"Artificial Enthusiasm" is the last name for what ailed Gratz Brown at New Haven.

THE CAMPAIGN IN ILLINOIS.

Those wise gentlemen who have been so fond of predicting that the campaign in this State would be entirely lifeless, have not shown themselves endowed with the true spirit of prophecy, for no previous canvass in this State has been conducted with a greater degree of vigor than is displayed by the Republicans of Illinois this year.

Our gallant and popular standard bearer, Gov. Oglesby, is everywhere received with the most unbounded enthusiasm, and his meetings are uniformly well attended. Gen. Logan has been waking the echoes of Egypt, and thrilling vast crowds with his magnetic eloquence. Gen. Hurlbut has also made some ringing speeches in various parts of the State, while Storrs, Cullom, Hawley, Adkins, Moore, Beveridge, Edsall, Ward, Burchard, McNulta, Cannon, Linegar, Corwin, and a host of other speakers, have been holding meetings in every nook and corner of the land, addressing large and enthusiastic crowds. Campaign clubs have been formed everywhere, and tanner companies organized in every town and city, and all this has been done before the canvass has fairly opened. Judging from the live spirit which animates our friends in all portions of the State at this early day, what may we not expect when the campaign begins in dead earnest?

Upon the other hand, the Greeleyite faction finds its courage rapidly oozing out, and already the knowing ones admit that they stand no ghost of a chance to carry the State, but are willing to concede it to the Republicans by a handsome majority. The arrogant and impudent bearing which characterized all their outgivings six weeks ago has all disappeared, and in its stead they have assumed a meekness and resignation which is in striking contrast with their earlier confidence and braggadocio. Indeed, the indications now are that from the beginning of September until election day the Republicans of Illinois will have nothing before them but one succession of triumphant victories after another—victories in prospect, to be sure, but no less certain than if they had been really won, nor no less questioned by the Greeleyites than they will be after the votes have been counted, for that forlorn and beaten-in-advance party will, in two weeks from this time, have not enough of spirit or hope left in it with which to make a respectable fight.

A PLAN THAT DIDN'T SUCCEED.—When Cyrus H. McCormick was placed on the democratic state central committee, he subscribed ten thousand dollars as a campaign fund. As soon as the Springfield ring became aware of the fact they matured a plan to control the disbursement of the money. They got the democratic and liberal state committees together at Springfield, and had a resolution passed to put the whole management of the campaign in this State into the hands of Governor Palmer and a few other Springfielders. McCormick saw through the object of the conspirators, and when demand was made, refused to pay over his subscription to their order. This brought the "ring" up with a round turn. They had planned to do all the campaign work themselves, and not allow the democratic organization to come together at all. But McCormick's movement wholly demoralized them. We now see a meeting of the democratic committee has been called, evidently with the intention of running the democratic end of the Greeley schooner to suit democratic leaders.

THE New York *Staats Zeitung*, the leading German newspaper of the country, says that "the state of New York can only be carried by any party by the strength of its state nominations." Of the truth of this statement there can be no question. New York is almost an empire in itself and its various interests demand a state administration of the highest character and ability. Such a one was nominated at Utica, last week, and if the signs of the times can be relied on, the hundred thousand majority for Greeley, which Gov. Hoffman promised at Baltimore New York should give, will change into a modest majority for Gen. Grant. The state never had so good a ticket in the field and the people were never more united and enthusiastic.

THE New York *Herald* says that ten days ago, the gold operators on Wall street were predicting a rise, this fall, to 125. Now they are all on the other tack, and are expecting a decline to 110, or under, in consequence of the re-election of General Grant, which event is now confidently expected by that sharp-seeing fraternity.

The L. s. Cause—Greeleyism in North Carolina.

IF GREELEY IS ELECTED.

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 26, 1872.

MR. EDITORS:—I furnish a few more facts for the consideration of all, *more especially* for them who once belonged to the great Republican party, and who are now working shoulder to shoulder with the Democratic party of the North, and with the rebels in the South in their endeavors to elect Horace Greeley to the Presidency. The Republican party has frequently asserted since the nomination of Mr. Greeley, that his nomination was in the direct interest of the Democratic party, more especially the Southern or rebel interest. It has as frequently been denied *more particularly* by the bolters from the Republican party. The Democracy and Liberals say they will vote for Horace Greeley, and the Republicans say they will vote for General Grant for the Presidency, and we believe them. Why? Because they so affirm. Now if we believe one—another here at home, by what reasoning should we refuse to believe what so many of the Union loving rebels of the South have so recently proclaimed? The first paper in the United States to nominate H. Greeley as a candidate was the Lexington (Mo.) *Caucasian*, and Mr. Greeley wrote the editor a letter of thanks. In this paper the editor says "State sovereignty! white supremacy and repudiation; this is liberty; this is white man's government, made by white men; for white men and their posterity forever. Down with the Fifteenth Amendment." Again in another paragraph headed with the *cut of a pistol*, he says in the event of the election of Grant: "*It is expedient for us that one man should die for the people, and that the whole nation perish not.*" Does this mean peace? Is it love for the Union in the breasts of these men South who will support Mr. Greeley for the Presidency? Do they accept the situation? Will the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments remain a part of the law of the land, if the rebels of the South gain control of the government? *Never.* Judge Jeremiah S. Black, of Pennsylvania, speaking of these amendments says: "They were frauds upon the spirit and letter of the instrument, inasmuch as they effected the worse outrage which it was made to present."

Ex-Governor Brown, made a speech at Nashville, Tenn., the other day and said, "Greeley, if elected, will pay the losses of the South." The Hon. E. J. Golladay, M. C., from Nashville, at the same meeting said, "Greeley, at the onset of the war, was in favor of letting the wayward sisters depart in peace. He was then in favor of paying the South for her slaves, and I believe he is still." Again, the Hon. James Beck, of Kentucky, says, "Should Greeley, if elected, *attempt* to be dishonorable or endeavor to enact any obnoxious principles of Radicalism, a Democratic Congress, that was certain to be chosen with him, would *hedge him in* and render his efforts harmless; and that *when it was necessary to receive such legislation as the Democracy deemed wise, they would demand of and compel Mr. Greeley to yield acquiescence.*" A little more proof in regard to one item in particular, and we will close this array of facts. Mr. Greeley in reply to a letter from Lewis Carmichael in regard to pensioning the rebel soldiers says, "He favored the pension proposition, and believed *it right toward the South*, although he felt sure Congress would not enact such a provision." It seems to me unnecessary and a perversion of facts for the Liberals and Democracy to continually deny the fact that if Greeley is elected it will be for the sole purpose of giving the control of the government again into the hands of the rebels of the South; and that the Southern people confidingly expect through his election to obtain pay from the general government for their losses during the war; that they will also receive pay for their liberated slaves, and pensions obtained for rebel soldiers the same as now paid to those who belonged to the Union army. Should all this be accomplished during Greeley's administration, and they then should want to secede why the thing would be accomslished. Mr. Greeley has often said they have the right, and he would be the last man in the world to attempt to prevent the same. It is useless for men and politicians in the heat of political discussion, to attempt to deny facts coming from such a source as the ones we have selected. They are beyond the successful contradiction of any sober and intelligent mind. Just such facts as these the Northern people were slow to believe in 1860, and yet the terrible truth revealed itself to us in 1861 in the shape of a four years conflict, in which half a million of lives were sacrificed for the defense of the government. Can it be possible they have been slain in vain; that their deeds were nought; and that the spirit of treason shall so soon triumph? God forbid.

A REPUBLICAN.

THE Greeley Club met at Fashion Hall on Thursday night. We were not present, but learn that one of the foulest mouthed harrangues ever heard in this community, (not excepting any of O. B. Ficklin's efforts) was indulged in by an individual from Decatur, calling himself Seymour. We hope that our Democratic friends will procure a few more such speakers to come here and address them.—*Tuscola Journal.*

We saw eight of the Demoliberepublicratic speakers seated along in a row, on the sidewalk, taking lessons from a "bummer," at ten o'clock last Thursday night. They were as attentive as a class of Sunday school scholars. As said bummer is not a resident of Tuscola, and could not impart to our people the vast amount of knowledge he carried under that plug hat, in a single speech, we suppose he was doing the next best thing—telling them all he knew. The next Greeley speech made in Tuscola will doubtless disclose one new version of the "bull pup" story. —*Tuscola Journal.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P.M.

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POLITICAL.

The Campaign Increasing in Interest.

THE GREELEYITES WEAKENING.

O'Conor's Prospects

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SUICIDE OF SHERIFF FISHBACK, OF MACOUPIN COUNTY.

Items of Foreign News.

FROM SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., August 26.—Our citizens were shocked to learn this morning that William P. Fishback, the Sheriff of Macoupin county, committed suicide yesterday morning, by shooting himself through the head with a revolver. Nothing unusual had been noticed in his actions, and the reasons for the rash deed are unknown here. My informant says that on Sunday morning Mr. Fishback ate his breakfast in as good spirits as usual, shaved and put on a clean shirt, but different from his custom put on an old suit of clothes.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, August 26.—Blanton Duncan's claims against the Government, concerning which so much has been lately said, proves to be purely imaginary. The records of the War and Treasury Departments, within which, if it existed, its history should be found, show no trace whatever of it.

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Auditor Martin, who has just returned from a stay of several weeks in Alabama, confirms the previous favorable reports of the condition or prospects of the Republican party in that State, and predicts that its electoral vote will be given for Grant and Wilson. The colored vote will be thrown solidly for this ticket, and the excellent State ticket of the Republicans has united and conciliated elements heretofore doubtful. Judge Martin is mentioned as a probable candidate for Congress in the Huntsville District.

A private letter received to-day from Col. John W. Forney, dated at San Francisco, says that the political sentiment of the Pacific coast is surprisingly and overwhelmingly in favor of President Grant and his re-election. The feeling among bankers, capitalists and railroad men, with whom Forney, as the associate of Colonel Thos. A Scott, is in constant communication, is all one way, and very strongly that way.

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, August 26.—Extensive preparations are being made for the festivities attendant on the meeting of the Emperors of Germany, Austria and Russia on the 7th of September. The two latter Emperors will be received in the forenoon; in the afternoon there will be a grand military parade, and in the evening a state banquet. There will be a gala performance at the Opera, which will be attended by the three Emperors. An illumination of the whole city and a torchlight procession will take place at the close of the opera.

GENEVA, Aug. 26.—The Board of Arbitration were assembled this afternoon, and after a session of three hours, adjourned to Thursday noon. The session was secret. Only five arbitrators were present. The absence of the counsel and agents of England and America indicates a conclusion of the consideration of the general questions, and that the final work of the Board has been reached.

MADRID, Aug. 26.—Returns from the provinces show two-thirds of the successful candidates for the Cortes are members of the government party, and that the Radicals support the government at the polls.

LOST—On Saturday last, between the Rolling Mill and William street, an envelope containing $88.50. The finder will receive a reward of $20 by returning the same to JAS. BULL, at the Rolling Mill. [al9-d1t*

1872. 1872.
Authorized by State Insurance Department.
C. H. FULLER,
SPECIAL AGENT of the
CHICAGO LIFE!
INSURANCE COMPANY.
OFFICE—Room No. 6, northeast cor. East Main and Water-sts.,
Decatur, - - Illinois.
Safe Rates—As low as consistent with successful business.
Reliability—Equal to any Company in existence, in proportion to its risks.
$100,000 deposited with the State Treasurer as additional security to Insurers.
Prompt and careful attention to all business entrusted to this Agency.
Loans on Farm Lands negotiated for Policy Holders.

Look at the Advantages
1st. IT IS AN ALL CASH COMPANY, therefore it meets all its obligations in cash.
2d. It is a Western Company, receiving the highest rate of interest on its assets.
3d. Your dividends are available, and can be used to pay your premium, after the first year, thereby enabling you to carry a large policy.
4th. Its capital is deposited with the State Treasurer for the permanent security of its policy holders.
5th. It issues policies on all the approved plans with and without profits.
6th. All its policies are non-forfeiting.
7th. The company is in your midst, managed by men well known throughout the West.
8th. The Chicago Life has a business well established.
9th. With a Cash Capital and Cash Assets steadily increasing securely invested, with economy in its management, and a past success not surpassed by any company of its age, you cannot do a better thing than to take a policy in the Chicago Life Insurance Company.
LIBERALITY in assisting parties to keep their policies in force, and PROMPTITUDE in the settlement of claims.
C. H. FULLER,
aug9-d1m-w2m] SPECIAL AGENT.
To whom it may concern:
This is to certify that I have received the payment upon three policies in the Chicago Life Insurance Company, on the life of my brother, William McCay, deceased, for $5,000 total. The loss was paid as soon as the proofs were furnished, and I hereby express my thanks to the officers, and also to the agent at Decatur, Mr. Chas. H. Fuller, for their kindness and prompt payment of said insurance, and recommend said Company to all desiring Life Insurance in a *prompt and reliable company*, as the "Chicago Life Insurance of Chicago" has proven itself worthy to be so called.
Very respectfully,
DALLAS McCAY,
Adm'r of the estate of Wm. McCay, dec'd,
CHAMPAIGN Co., ILL., July, 1872.

DRY GOODS.
Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of
S. D. LUDDEN & CO
13 EAST MAIN STREET,
And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar.
We have been in earnest in our advertisements of closing out sales from the first, and all will see it too, (even if incredulous before,) who come and observe our prices. Good goods going without regard to value.
(SHELLABARGER'S OLD STAND.)
June 12, 1872—d-tf.

W. E. WILSON,
BOOKSELLER,
IS CONSTANTLY RECEIVING NEW GOODS,
And his patrons are gratified to find that his prices are so low.
If you would Save Money, and be kindly treated, get your Books, Stationery, Pictures, and everything in that line, at W. E. WILSON'S.
Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

THE BEST
Musical Instruments
IN THE WORLD
FOR SALE BY
G. F. HARGIS!

HALLET, DAVIS & CO PIANOS,
Knabe Pianos!
SMITH'S AMERICAN ORGAN
VIOLINS,
GUITARS,
FLUTES,
SHEET MUSIC, ETC.
IF YOU WANT ANYTHING IN THE
MUSIC LINE,
CALL ON
G. F. HARGIS,
(Over [illegible])
17
EAST MAIN STREET.
April 1-d&wtf.

D. A. MAFFIT W. W. FOSTER.
Maffit & Foster,
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PURE MILK AND ICE.
C[illegible] FORTY [illegible]
RICH CREAM!
[illegible]
ORDERS [illegible] Newell & Hamer [illegible] P. O. box [illegible], will receive prompt attention. [illegible]

A New Arrival!
—OF—
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN
Gold and Silver
WATCHES,

"COLUMBIA'S JEWELS."
Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen
Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain
CHAINS.
As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold, Silver and Plated Chains.
A Complete Assortment of
JEWELRY!
Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of
Seth Thomas Clocks!
With and without Calender,
—ALSO,—
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!
Come and see the
CRYPTOCHYLON ICE PITCHER!
AGENT FOR THE
Accommodating Spectacle!
With French Aeromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.
All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me
Engraved Free of Charge!
Having had an experience of over [illegible] years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.
J. L. KNIEPER,
No. 10 Water Street,
DECATUR, ILL.
May 21, 1872—d 3m.

BOARDING. A few boarders can be accommodated with board at the [illegible] the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.
W. N. ZIMMERMAN
[illegible]

NOTICE.
WHEREAS, my wife Susan [illegible] bed and board Monday, July [illegible] without just cause or provocation, [illegible] hereby given that I will pay no bills [illegible] contracting, from and after this date [illegible] [illegible] and accompanied her, I give notice [illegible] that I will pay no bills contracted [illegible]
S. G. [illegible]
Decatur, July 30, 1872—d-1w.

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May 21, 1872-d1y
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Aug. 27.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.

For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
E. McCLELLAN.
For Sheriff,
H. D. JENNINGS.
For County Attorney,
C. C. McCOMAS.
For Coroner,
M. Y. GIVLER.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

"We like General Grant; but we care far more for Republican ascendancy than for any man's personal fortunes. It is in our view of great importance that the opposition shall be kept out of power. For a Democratic national triumph means a restoration to power of those who deserted their seats in Congress and their places under the last Democratic President, to plunge the country into the Red Sea of secession and Rebellion. Though you paint an inch thick, to this complexion you must come at last. The brain, the heart, the soul of the present Democratic party is the rebel element of the South with its northern allies and sympathizers. It is rebel at the core to-day."—HORACE GREELEY.

Senatorial and Representative Convention.

The Republicans of Macon and DeWitt counties will meet in delegate convention at Macon, on Thursday, August 29, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating one Senator and two Representatives to represent this district in the State Legislature.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every three hundred votes cast for General Grant in 1868, which will be divided as follows:

Macon county............ 9
DeWitt county............ 5

On the afternoon of that day there will be a mass meeting of the citizens of both counties, in Macon, at which addresses will be delivered by prominent gentlemen.

By order,

E. M. MISNER,
Chm. Cen. Com. Macon county.
P. S. ADAMS,
Chm. Cen. Com. DeWitt county.

THERE is nothing the rebels, the ex-rebels, and their many apologists, North and South, have so much to fear as centralization, and over nothing do the Liberal Democrats raise a more bitter wail. They want as little power in Washington as possible. They suffered too much from power there during the late contest, and if they should take a fancy to get up another little rebellion, they would prefer, if it will suit us as well, that they be not interfered with from that quarter.

THE Democracy of the Fifth Michigan District, have had a convention and chosen delegates to the Louisville Convention. One of their resolutions affirms that "we will only support men whose lives have borne testimony to their faith in the Democratic party, its principles, its history and its teachings."

"Artificial Enthusiasm" is the last name for what ailed Gratz Brown at New Haven.

THE CAMPAIGN IN ILLINOIS.

Those wise gentlemen who have been so fond of predicting that the campaign in this State would be entirely lifeless, have not shown themselves endowed with the true spirit of prophecy, for no previous canvass in this State has been conducted with a greater degree of vigor than is displayed by the Republicans of Illinois this year.

Our gallant and popular standard bearer, Gov. Oglesby, is everywhere received with the most unbounded enthusiasm, and his meetings are uniformly well attended. Gen. Logan has been waking the echoes of Egypt, and thrilling vast crowds with his magnetic eloquence. Gen. Hurlbut has also made some ringing speeches in various parts of the State, while Storrs, Cullom, Hawley, Adkins, Moore, Beveridge, Edsall, Ward, Burchard, McNulta, Cannon, Linegar, Corwin, and a host of other speakers, have been holding meetings in every nook and corner of the land, addressing large and enthusiastic crowds. Campaign clubs have been formed everywhere, and tanner companies organized in every town and city, and all this has been done before the canvass has fairly opened. Judging from the live spirit which animates our friends in all portions of the State at this early day, what may we not expect when the campaign begins in dead earnest?

Upon the other hand, the Greeleyite faction finds its courage rapidly oozing out, and already the knowing ones admit that they stand no ghost of a chance to carry the State, but are willing to concede it to the Republicans by a handsome majority. The arrogant and impudent bearing which characterized all their outgivings six weeks ago has all disappeared, and in its stead they have assumed a meekness and resignation which is in striking contrast with their earlier confidence and braggadocio. Indeed, the indications now are that from the beginning of September until election day the Republicans of Illinois will have nothing before them but one succession of triumphant victories after another—victories in prospect, to be sure, but no less certain than if they had been really won, nor no less questioned by the Greeleyites than they will be after the votes have been counted, for that forlorn and beaten-in-advance party will, in two weeks from this time, have not enough of spirit or hope left in it with which to make a respectable fight.

A PLAN THAT DIDN'T SUCCEED.—When Cyrus H. McCormick was placed on the democratic state central committee, he subscribed ten thousand dollars as a campaign fund. As soon as the Springfield ring became aware of the fact they matured a plan to control the disbursement of the money. They got the democratic and liberal state committees together at Springfield, and had a resolution passed to put the whole management of the campaign in this State into the hands of Governor Palmer and a few other Springfielders. McCormick saw through the object of the conspirators, and when demand was made, refused to pay over his subscription to their order. This brought the "ring" up with a round turn. They had planned to do all the campaign work themselves, and not allow the democratic organization to come together at all. But McCormick's movement wholly demoralized them. We now see a meeting of the democratic committee has been called, evidently with the intention of running the democratic end of the Greeley schooner to suit democratic leaders.

THE New York *Staats Zeitung*, the leading German newspaper of the country, says that "the state of New York can only be carried by any party by the strength of its state nominations." Of the truth of this statement there can be no question. New York is almost an empire in itself and its various interests demand a state administration of the highest character and ability. Such a one was nominated at Utica, last week, and if the signs of the times can be relied on, the hundred thousand majority for Greeley, which Gov. Hoffman promised at Baltimore New York should give, will change into a modest majority for Gen. Grant. The state never had so good a ticket in the field and the people were never more united and enthusiastic.

THE New York *Herald* says that ten days ago, the gold operators on Wall street were predicting a rise, this fall, to 125. Now they are all on the other tack, and are expecting a decline to 110, or under, in consequence of the re-election of General Grant, which event is now confidently expected by that sharp-seeing fraternity.

The L. S. Cause—Greeleyism in North Carolina.

IF GREELEY IS ELECTED.

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 26, 1872.

MR. EDITORS:—I furnish a few more facts for the consideration of all, *more especially* for them who once belonged to the great Republican party, and who are now working shoulder to shoulder with the Democratic party of the North, and with the rebels in the South in their endeavors to elect Horace Greeley to the Presidency. The Republican party has frequently asserted since the nomination of Mr. Greeley, that his nomination was in the direct interest of the Democratic party, more especially the Southern or rebel interest. It has as frequently been denied *more particularly* by the bolters from the Republican party. The Democracy and Liberals say they will vote for Horace Greeley, and the Republicans say they will vote for General Grant for the Presidency, and we believe them. Why? Because they so affirm. Now if we believe one—another here at home, by what reasoning should we refuse to believe what so many of the Union loving rebels of the South have so recently proclaimed? The first paper in the United States to nominate H. Greeley as a candidate was the Lexington (Mo.) *Caucasian*, and Mr. Greeley wrote the editor a letter of thanks. In this paper the editor says "State sovereignty! white supremacy and repudiation; this is liberty; this is white man's government, made by white men; for white men and their posterity forever. Down with the Fifteenth Amendment." Again in another paragraph headed with the *cut of a pistol*, he says in the event of the election of Grant: *"It is expedient for us that one man should die for the people, and that the whole nation perish not."* Does this mean peace? Is it love for the Union in the breasts of these men South who will support Mr. Greeley for the Presidency? Do they accept the situation? Will the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments remain a part of the law of the land, if the rebels of the South gain control of the government? *Never.* Judge Jeremiah S. Black, of Pennsylvania, speaking of these amendments says: "They were frauds upon the spirit and letter of the instrument, inasmuch as they effected the worse outrage which it was made to present."

Ex-Governor Brown, made a speech at Nashville, Tenn., the other day and said, "Greeley, if elected, will pay the losses of the South." The Hon. E. J. Golladay, M. C., from Nashville, at the same meeting said, "Greeley, at the onset of the war, was in favor of letting the wayward sisters depart in peace. He was then in favor of paying the South for her slaves, and I believe he is still." Again, the Hon. James Beck, of Kentucky, says, "Should Greeley, if elected, *attempt* to be dishonorable or endeavor to enact any obnoxious principles of Radicalism, a Democratic Congress, that was certain to be chosen with him, would *hedge him in* and render his efforts harmless; and that *when it was necessary to receive such legislation as the Democracy deemed wise, they would demand of and compel Mr. Greeley to yield acquiescence.*" A little more proof in regard to one item in particular, and we will close this array of facts. Mr. Greeley in reply to a letter from Lewis Carmichael in regard to pensioning the rebel soldiers says, "He favored the pension proposition, and believed *it right toward the South*, although he felt sure Congress would not enact such a provision." It seems to me unnecessary and a perversion of facts for the Liberals and Democracy to continually deny the fact that if Greeley is elected it will be for the sole purpose of giving the control of the government again into the hands of the rebels of the South; and that the Southern people confidingly expect through his election to obtain pay from the general government for their losses during the war; that they will also receive pay for their liberated slaves, and pensions obtained for rebel soldiers the same as now paid to those who belonged to the Union army. Should all this be accomplished during Greeley's administration, and they then should want to secede why the thing would be accomplished. Mr. Greeley has often said they have the right, and he would be the last man in the world to attempt to prevent the same. It is useless for men and politicians in the heat of political discussion, to attempt to deny facts coming from such a source as the ones we have selected. They are beyond the successful contradiction of any sober and intelligent mind. Just such facts as these the Northern people were slow to believe in 1860, and yet the terrible truth revealed itself to us in 1861 in the shape of a four years conflict, in which half a million of lives were sacrificed for the defense of the government. Can it be possible they have been slain in vain; that their deeds were nought; and that the spirit of treason shall so soon triumph? God forbid.

A REPUBLICAN.

THE Greeley Club met at Fashion Hall on Thursday night. We were not present, but learn that one of the foulest mouthed harrangues ever heard in this community, (not excepting any of O. B. Ficklin's efforts) was indulged in by an individual from Decatur, calling himself Seymour. We hope that our Democratic friends will procure a few more such speakers to come here and address them.—*Tuscola Journal.*

We saw eight of the Demoliberepublicratic speakers seated along in a row, on the sidewalk, taking lessons from a "bummer," at ten o'clock last Thursday night. They were as attentive as a class of Sunday school scholars. As said bummer is not a resident of Tuscola, and could not impart to our people the vast amount of knowledge he carried under that plug hat, in a single speech, we suppose he was doing the next best thing—telling *them* all he knew. The next Greeley speech made in Tuscola will doubtless disclose one new version of the "bull pup" story.—*Tuscola Journal.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P.M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

POLITICAL.

The Campaign Increasing in Interest.

THE GREELEYITES WEAKENING.

O'Conor's Prospects

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FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, August 26.—Blanton Duncan's claims against the Government, concerning which so much has been lately said, proves to be purely imaginary. The records of the War and Treasury Departments, within which, if it existed, its history should be found, show no trace whatever of it.

Letters from North Carolina report that the election excitement has entirely disappeared, and that both parties concede that Caldwell will receive the Governor's office without opposition. Merriman's talk of a contest will probably amount to nothing, and it is kept up more for breaking the fall from victory to death, than because he intends to do anything but submit to the result. The State Board of Canvassers are now making the official count of the votes, which the Legislature is obliged to accept, and inaugurate Caldwell.

Auditor Martin, who has just returned from a stay of several weeks in Alabama, confirms the previous favorable reports of the condition or prospects of the Republican party in that State, and predicts that its electoral vote will be given for Grant and Wilson. The colored vote will be thrown solidly for this ticket, and the excellent State ticket of the Republicans has united and consolidated elements heretofore doubtful. Judge Martin is mentioned as a probable candidate for Congress in the Huntsville District.

A private letter received to-day from Col. John W. Forney, dated at San Francisco, says that the political sentiment of the Pacific coast is surprisingly and overwhelmingly in favor of President Grant and his re-election. The feeling among bankers, capitalists and railroad men, with whom Forney, as the associate of Colonel Thos. A Scott, is in constant communication, is all one way, and very strongly that way.

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, August 26.—Extensive preparations are being made for the festivities attendant on the meeting of the Emperors of Germany, Austria and Russia on the 7th of September. The two latter Emperors will be received in the forenoon; in the afternoon there will be a grand military parade, and in the evening a state banquet. There will be a gala performance at the Opera, which will be attended by the three Emperors. An illumination of the whole city and a torchlight procession will take place at the close of the opera.

GENEVA, Aug. 26.—The Board of Arbitration were assembled this afternoon, and after a session of three hours, adjourned to Thursday noon. The session was secret. Only five arbitrators were present. The absence of the counsel and agents of England and America indicates a conclusion of the consideration of the general questions, and that the final work of the Board has been reached.

MADRID, Aug. 26.—Returns from the provinces show two-thirds of the successful candidates for the Cortes are members of the government party, and that the Radicals support the government at the polls.

LOST—On Saturday last, between the Rolling Mill and William street, an envelope containing $88.50. The finder will receive a reward of $20 by returning the same to JAS. BULL, at the Rolling Mill. [8l9-d1t]

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June 12, 1872—d-tf.

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DECATUR, ILL

May 21, 1872—d-3m.

BOARDING. A few boarders can [illegible] accommodated with board at the [illegible] the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.
W. N. ZIMMERMAN

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, my wife Susan [illegible] left my bed and board Monday, July [illegible] without just cause or provocation, [illegible] hereby given that I will pay no bills [illegible] contracting, from and after this date [illegible] [illegible] having also [illegible] on me and accompanied her, I give notice that I will pay no bills contracted by her.
S. G. BILLS.

Decatur, July 30, 1872—d-1w.

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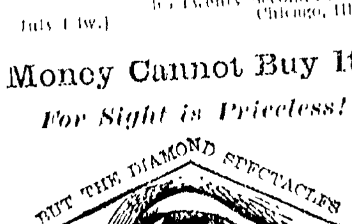
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs* Paschal K. Hamilton, ... Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled ... in the Circuit Court in and for the ... of Macon, and that summons has been ... the ... returnable to the ... July term of said court to be holden ... in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.

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... EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk
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Decatur, April 5, 1872-d&w.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Aug. 27.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week*.

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Thanks to Mr. R. Liddle for a fine sample of pears from his garden.

...M. K. Hatch, Esq., we regret to learn, is still suffering with hemorrhage of the lungs.

...The Supervisor has made coal cinders serve a good purpose, in front of Powers' block, on South Water street.

...On Saturday last, Mr. Fulk, who is 83 years of age, and resides three miles southwest of this city, was sun struck while mowing grass in his yard.

..Nearly everybody within one hundred miles of here is getting ready to come to town next Friday, to see the greatest wonder of the 19th century—Barnum's World's Fair. Hash dispensers will do well to lay in a full supply of provisions.

...A new express wagon and attachments, made its appearance to day, which is an evidence of increasing business.

...The fire alarm telegraph, invented by our worthy townsman, Samuel Newell, has been accepted by the City Council.

...The sermon of Rev. M. S. Kaufman, at Stapp's Chapel, on Sunday night last, is spoken of as a very creditable effort.

...The receipts of sales at the drug stores this month have been double that of last month, and physicians are the busiest professionals in town.

.. At the session of the Sunday School at Stapp's Chapel last Sunday, Rev. H. O. Hoffman, G. F. Hargis and J. W. Crane were elected delegates to the Macon county Sabbath School Convention, which will convene in the Presbyterian Church, Maroa, at 9 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

...Cy. D. Fletcher, of the Centralia *Sentinel*, is in town, on his way home from a trip through the arctic regions of Iowa.—He reports grapes and peaches as being much more plentiful in Egypt than Liberal Republicans are.

..The colored Tanner Club met last night, and perfected its organization. After business was through speeches were made by several of the members of the Club.

...The following persons were elected delegates from the Baptist Sunday School, to the County convention at Maroa

Capt. I. N. Martin, G. F. Wessels, E. P. Tuttle, John C. Houck, Howard Wood and J. B. R. Snerrick

..Rev. H. O. Hoffman returned this morning from a trip to Chicago and Valparaiso, Ind Upon his arrival at the latter place, he was feeling too unwell to take his anticipated trip on the lakes

..Several mechanics in Michigan and several parties in this city have done work and agreed to wait for their pay until Grant is re-elected - a little less than ninety days credit

..Our Greeley street talkers don't know how to apologize for the following:

In a political speech made in 1868, Gov. Palmer very significantly asked, "Who went Jeff Davis' bail?" His answer was, "Oh, a poor old fool in New York, who had not a child or a chick in the army." Palmer now advocates the election of the "poor old fool" to the highest office in the land!

Newspapers.—A child beginning to read becomes delighted with newspapers because it reads of names and things which are very familiar, and will make progress accordingly. A newspaper in one year is worth a quarter's schooling to a child, and every father must consider that substantial information is connected with this advancement. The mother of a family should herself be instructed. A mind occupied becomes fortified against the ills of life, and is braced for any emergency. Children amused by reading or study, are of course considerate and more easily governed. How many thoughtless young men have spent their earnings in a tavern or grog shop who ought to have been reading How many parents who never spent twenty dollars for books or papers for their families would gladly have given thousands to reclaim a son or daughter who had ignorantly and thoughtlessly fallen into temptation.

An Outrage.—About two weeks ago, a colored family removed from this city to Bement, where the mother and girls had made arrangements to do washing, and the husband was seeking employment They had only got fairly settled when stones were thrown through the windows of the house by three depraved Greeley supporters Finally the ... deep rascals broke in the windows, after the family had retired at night, for which they were arrested and taken before a Democratic Justice for trial, who would have given them their just deserts, a fact of which they were aware; hence they took a change of venue to another Justice who is more in sympathy with ... of the ... than he ... with ..., and of course they were acquitted The citizens of Bement are, ... naturally indignant The colored family has returned to D... for safety.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 26, 1872.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

Present, acting Mayor Hill, and Ald. Mills, Myers, Hardy, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards. Absent, Mayor Shellabarger.

On motion the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

His Honor, the Mayor, nominated H. H. Brown, for Collector, who was duly confirmed by the Council.

The committee on fire and water reported in favor of accepting the fire alarm telegraph, built by Samuel Newell, which was adopted, and a warrant was ordered issued for $20 in part payment for the same.

The committee on sidewalks and crossings reported in favor of laying down the following sidewalks, which was adopted, to-wit:

A three feet walk on the east side of Cemetery street, from the African M. E. Church to a point two lots south of the African Baptist church.

A four feet walk on the east side of Edward street, from Prairie to West Main street.

A four feet walk on the east side of Webster from Wood to John street.

A two and a half feet walk on the east side of Lowber street, extending north from Sangamon, one and a half blocks.

A 2½ feet walk on the south side of East Cerro Gordo street, extening east one block from Jasper street.

A four feet walk on the north side of Marietta, between Water and North Main streets.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor lay down a six feet sidewalk on the west side of Church street, from West Main street to the alley. W. H. BRAMBLE.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to rebuild a six feet sidewalk on the east side of Morgan, from Mason street to the railroad. Also, a six feet walk on the north side of Cerro Gordo, between Water and North Main streets. JOSEPH MILLS.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to build a four feet culvert across a branch in the alley between North and William streets. ALD. MYERS.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor lay down a suitable walk on the east side of St. Nicholas Hotel, from 40 to 50 feet in length. W. H. BRAMBLE.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to build a six feet walk on the south side of William street and extending 150 feet from Edwards street. E. MCNABB.

Ald. Richards offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn in favor of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county for the amount of judgment and costs in the case of Ada Fisher *v* The City of Decatur, and His Honor, the Mayor, is hereby authorized to make said settlement, taking proper receipts for the same.

The bonds of Charles Weifel and Louis Farner, for the sale of intoxicating liquors were read and approved, and licenses ordered granted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Police Gleanings.—A few days since, Mrs Ryan, whose husband is an industrious, sober man, employed in the rolling mill, and who resides in the First Ward, got on one of her frequent sprees. At times she will lay on the sidewalk for several hours, dead drunk. This time she rushed to the boarding-house of Mr. Leake, near the rolling mill, and saluted Miss Leake with a brick bat, which she threw with great force. In her hilarity, Mrs. Ryan fell several times, bruising her body considerably. Officer Maroney quieted matters, after which Mrs. Ryan called on one of our physicians, to whom she exposed her wounds with a view of making him a witness in her favor. This morning Mrs. Ryan is rushing around notifying parties whom she will subpœna as witnesses—that she has sued Leake for damages, charging him with her bruises. Her husband declares that he can't live with her, unless she divorces herself from whisky.

Last night John Moody was arrested by the City Marshal for using profane language to a woman. He was taken before Justice Baker and fined $3 and costs.

John Cullen was at the grand rally in the First Ward on Saturday night. John is not much on Grant. His tongue got loose and talked vulgar in the presence of ladies, for which he was taken before Justice Goodman and fined $3 and costs.

Last night R. S. Smith thought he was a brave boy, but before he had an opportunity of killing any one, he was arrested for carrying concealed weapons, and taken before Justice Albert, who imposed on him the snug little sum of $25 and costs.

Mike Cooney, of whom we wrote yesterday, gave an order of $26,36, on Col. Harris of the rolling mill, which was accepted.

Noose-papers Issued.—Since August 17th, the following marriage licenses have been granted, notwithstanding the intense heat.

James Anderson and Miss Sarah E. Remer.

Chas. D. Stearns and Miss Mary E. Mcconnell.

James N. Havie and Miss Emma C. Rundells.

Daniel Phillips and Miss Mary A Roper.

Warren C. Vermillion and Miss Annie B. Spangler.

William Sloat and Miss Mary A. Martin.

Reliable.—G. F. Hargis is doing an enormous business, and his sales are always satisfactory. Yesterday three new instruments were delivered, and contracts are being made for the sale of others. Mr. Hargis keeps a full supply of pianos, organs, violins, sheet music, etc., of superior finish and quality. This house has won an enviable reputation because no attempt has been made to deceive the people. Remember 17 East Main street is the place.

... Moore's old gray is about ready to superannuate He is 22 years of age

German Meeting.—Dr. Theodore Canisius, of Aurora, one of the most accomplished orators in Illinois, will address his fellow-citizens at the Court House on Tuesday evening.

Another Rally.—About 100 Tanner boys met at the court house at 7½ o'clock last night. Ninety-three names were enrolled, each name being accompanied with $1.25, or a pledge to pay the same, for the purchase of uniforms. $31,50 was collected at the meeting. Chas. Holt presided, and A. H. Locke was appointed Secretary. A Juvenile Band has been organized, and the boys composing the companies will march on to certain victory.

The following officers were elected:

COMPANY A.

Captain—Park Hammer.
1st Lieut.—John Bunn.
2d Lieut.—Burt Hardy.
Orderly Sergeant—Charles Taylor.

COMPANY B.

Captain—James Moore.
1st Lieutenant—Weldon Coltrin.
2d Lieutenant—Geo. Wingate.
Orderly Sergeant—Frank Calhoun.

Charles Holt was elected Colonel, by acclamation.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, Aug. 27, 1872.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.30
" White	1.35
" New white ℔ bus	1,10@1.25
" New red	1,00@1 20
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5.00
" red "	1.60
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings,	2.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.70
RYE—℔ bushel	.35
CORN—℔ bushel	25
" shelled, per bush	27
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	8,00@10,00
OATS—℔ bushel,	15@18
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	
BUTTER—℔ lb	20
EGGS—per doz,	.08
LARD—℔ lb	06½
BACON—Sides,	.09
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.10
SHOULDERS—per lb	.07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,25@3,50
CATTLE—	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	3,50@4,00
" " " sheared	.25
POTATOES—per bu	Nominal.
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	
APPLES—	
" Green ℔ bus	.25@35
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@31
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ℔ lb	6½@.07
" Salted cured,	8½@.09
" Calf,	12½@12
" Dry salt,	12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ℔ lb	.25@.40

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MESSRS. HALLETT, DAVIS & CO.—*Dear Sirs:* The instrument of this kind (Orchestral Grand) which I have examined at your warerooms contained two prominent points of excellence, viz: the quality of its musical tone, and the lightness and greatness of its action.

A piano-forte is so often unsatisfactory on account of its variety in quality of tone in the different registers, that it would seem that much has been achieved when no such unevenness exists. The action of the instrument was not only easy and light, but what is very important, quiet and free from noise in its working. I have mentioned these two features of the *tout ensemble* of the piano-forte because they particularly attracted my attention. Allow me to congratulate you upon your success in the manufacture of piano-fortes, and believe me, sincerely yours,

B. J. LANG.

For sale by G. F. Hargis, dealer in all kinds of musical instruments, sheet music, etc., 17 East Main street.

OWING to the fact that there is an immense stock of Boots and Shoes for fall and winter wear, now arriving at Powers, Ferriss & Co.'s, and that the season for the sale of new fall goods is drawing near, they have concluded to sell out their entire stock of summer goods at cost, or less than cost, or any way to cash the goods, and make room for the new kinds suited to the approaching season. They will commence Aug. 12th, and continue until all the goods are sold.

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This 12th day of August, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD, Sheriff Macon Co.

August 13, 1872-w3t.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court, August term, A. D. 187...

To All Persons Concerned:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Enoch W. Moore, guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather, and William J. Quinlan, guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather, will by petition make application to the County Court of said Macon county, at the August term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said county, on the Third Monday of August, A. D. 1872, for an order of sale of the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot No. 10, in block No. 10, in Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to Decatur; lot No. 14, in block No. 2, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to Decatur; lot No. 3, in block No. 4, Oglesby & Wait's addition to Decatur; also, commencing 80 feet east of the north west corner of block No. 1, in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, running thence south to the north line of Cerro Gordo street, thence east along the north line of Cerro Gordo street 50 feet, thence north to the north line of said block, thence west along the north line of said block 50 feet to the place of beginning; also, lot No. 8, in block No. 8, in Durfee & King's addition to the city of Decatur; also, commencing 30 feet west and 100 feet north from the northwest corner of Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to the city of Decatur, thence north 80 feet, west 202 feet to an alley, south 80 feet, thence east 202 feet to the place of beginning, fronting on Water street—excepting 6 feet north and south and 26 feet east and west, in the southwest corner of said lot. Also, the west half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. 21, township 16, north, range No. 1 east of the third principal meridian, excepting 3 31-100 acres off of the north end, sold to A. C. Miller for the purpose of investing the proceeds in the redemption of the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the centre of section No. 18, township 16, north, range 3, east of the 3d P. M., in Macon county, Illinois, thence west 20 chains and 15 links to the southwest corner of lot 1 of the northwest quarter of said section 18, thence north 9 chains and 68 links to a stone, thence east 20 chains and 11 links to the north and south quarter section line, thence south 9 chains and 68 links to the place of beginning, containing 19 49-100 acres, from a certain mortgage executed by William Prather, late of said county, to one Peter Crain, bearing date September 10, 1866, and upon which there is now due about $475. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from a certain mortgage executed by the said William Prather to the County Superintendent of Schools of Macon county, bearing date June 26, 1868, and upon which there is now due about $975. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half of lot No. 1, in the southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from sale under a decree of the Macon County Circuit Court, rendered at the July term, A. D., 1871, upon foreclosure of a Trust Deed executed by the said William Prather to one A. J. Gallagher, Trustee, and upon which there is now due about $1350.

ENOCH W. MOORE,
Guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather.

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Decatur, July 25, 1872-3d.

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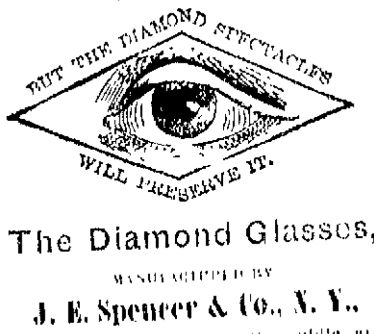
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D. 1872.

Lewis F. Houck vs Paschal K. Hamilton, Laura Hamilton, James B. Frise, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the [illegible]

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.

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Decatur, April 5, [illegible]

Important Notice

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Aug. 27.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Thanks to Mr. R. Liddle for a fine sample of pears from his garden.

...M. K. Hatch, Esq., we regret to learn, is still suffering with hemorrhage of the lungs.

...The Supervisor has made coal cinders serve a good purpose, in front of Powers' block, on South Water street.

...On Saturday last, Mr. Fulk, who is 83 years of age, and resides three miles southwest of this city, was sun struck while mowing grass in his yard.

...Nearly everybody within one hundred miles of here is getting ready to come to town next Friday, to see the greatest wonder of the 19th century—Barnum's World's Fair. Hash dispensers will do well to lay in a full supply of provisions.

...A new express wagon and attachments, made its appearance to day, which is an evidence of increasing business.

...The fire alarm telegraph, invented by our worthy townsman, Samuel Newell, has been accepted by the City Council.

...The sermon of Rev. M. S. Kaufman, at Stapp's Chapel, on Sunday night last, is spoken of as a very creditable effort.

...The receipts of sales at the drug stores this month have been double that of last month, and physicians are the busiest professionals in town.

...At the session of the Sunday School at Stapp's Chapel last Sunday, Rev. H. O. Hoffman, G. F. Hargis and J. W. Crane were elected delegates to the Macon county Sabbath School Convention, which will convene in the Presbyterian Church, Macon, at 9 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

...Cy. D. Fletcher, of the Centralia *Sentinel*, is in town, on his way home from a trip through the arctic regions of Iowa.—He reports grapes and peaches as being much more plentiful in Egypt than Liberal Republicans are.

...The colored Tanner Club met last night, and perfected its organization. After business was through speeches were made by several of the members of the Club.

...The following persons were elected delegates from the Baptist Sunday School, to the County convention at Macon

Capt. I. N. Martin, O. F. Wessels, E. P. Tuttle, John C. Houck, Howard Wood and J. B. R. Sberrick

...Rev. H. O. Hoffman returned this morning from a trip to Chicago and Valparaiso, Ind. Upon his arrival at the latter place, he was feeling too unwell to take his anticipated trip on the lakes

...Several mechanics in Michigan and several parties in this city have done work and agreed to wait for their pay until Grant is re-elected—a little less than ninety days credit

...Out Greeley street talkers don't know how to apologize for the following:

In a political speech made in 1868, Gov. Palmer very significantly asked, "Who went Jeff Davis' bail?" His answer was, "Oh, a poor old fool in New York, who had not a child or a chick in the army." Palmer now advocates the election of the "poor old fool" to the highest office in the land!

Newspapers.—A child beginning to read becomes delighted with newspapers because it reads of names and things which are very familiar, and will make progress accordingly. A newspaper in one year is worth a quarter's schooling to a child, and every father must consider that substantial information is connected with this advancement. The mother of a family should herself be instructed. A mind occupied becomes fortified against the ills of life, and is braced for any emergency. Children amused by reading or study, are of course considerate and more easily governed. How many thoughtless young men have spent their earnings in a tavern or grog shop who ought to have been reading. How many parents who never spent twenty dollars for books or papers for their families would gladly have given thousands to reclaim a son or daughter who had ignorantly and thoughtlessly fallen into temptation.

An Outrage.—About two weeks ago, a colored family removed from this city to Bement, where the mother and girls had made arrangements to do washing, and the husband was seeking employment.—They had only got fairly settled when stones were thrown through the windows in the house by three depraved Greeley supporters. Finally these deep rascals broke in the windows, after the family had retired at night, for which they were arrested and taken before a Democratic Justice for trial, who would have given them their just deserts, a fact of which they were aware; hence they took a change of venue to another Justice, who is more in sympathy with [illegible] of the [illegible] than he is with [illegible], and of course they were acquitted. [illegible] citizen of Bement are [illegible] indignant. The colored family [illegible] returned to D[illegible] for safety.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 26, 1872.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

Present, acting Mayor Hill, and Ald. Mills, Myers, Hardy, McNabb, Bramble, Gabler and Richards. Absent, Mayor Shellabarger.

On motion the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

His Honor, the Mayor, nominated H. H. Brown, for Collector, who was duly confirmed by the Council.

The committee on fire and water reported in favor of accepting the fire alarm telegraph, built by Samuel Newell, which was adopted, and a warrant was ordered issued for $20 in part payment for the same.

The committee on sidewalks and crossings reported in favor of laying down the following sidewalks, which was adopted, to-wit:

A three feet walk on the east side of Cemetery street, from the African M. E. Church to a point two lots south of the African Baptist church.

A four feet walk on the east side of Edward street, from Prairie to West Main street.

A four feet walk on the east side of Webster from Wood to John street.

A two and a half feet walk on the east side of Lowber street, extending north from Sangamon, one and a half blocks.

A 2½ feet walk on the south side of East Cerro Gordo street, extening east one block from Jasper street.

A four feet walk on the north side of Marietta, between Water and North Main streets.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor lay down a six feet sidewalk on the west side of Church street, from West Main street to the alley. W. H. BRAMBLE.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to rebuild a six feet sidewalk on the east side of Morgan, from Mason street to the railroad. Also, a six feet walk on the north side of Cerro Gordo, between Water and North Main streets. JOSEPH MILLS.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to build a four feet culvert across a branch in the alley between North and William streets. ALD. MYERS.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor lay down a suitable walk on the east side of St. Nicholas Hotel, from 40 to 50 feet in length. W. H. BRAMBLE.

Resolved, That the Street Supervisor be instructed to build a six feet walk on the south side of William street and extending 150 feet from Edwards street. E. MCNABB.

Ald. Richards offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn in favor of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county for the amount of judgment and costs in the case of Ada Fisher v. The City of Decatur, and His Honor, the Mayor, is hereby authorized to make said settlement, taking proper receipts for the same.

The bonds of Charles Weifel and Louis Farner, for the sale of intoxicating liquors were read and approved, and licenses ordered granted.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Police Gleanings.—A few days since, Mrs Ryan, whose husband is an industrious, sober man, employed in the rolling mill, and who resides in the First Ward, got on one of her frequent sprees. At times she will lay on the sidewalk for several hours, dead drunk. This time she rushed to the boarding-house of Mr. Leake, near the rolling mill, and saluted Miss Leake with a brick bat, which she threw with great force. In her hilarity, Mrs. Ryan fell several times, bruising her body considerably. Officer Maroney quieted matters, after which Mrs. Ryan called on one of our physicians, to whom she exposed her wounds with a view of making him a witness in her favor. This morning Mrs. Ryan is rushing around notifying parties whom she will subpœna as witnesses—that she has sued Leake for damages, charging him with her bruises. Her husband declares that he can't live with her, unless she divorces herself from whisky.

Last night John Moody was arrested by the City Marshal for using profane language to a woman. He was taken before Justice Baker and fined $3 and costs.

John Cullen was at the grand rally in the First Ward on Saturday night. John is not much on Grant. His tongue got loose and talked vulgar in the presence of ladies, for which he was taken before Justice Goodman and fined $3 and costs.

Last night R. S. Smith thought he was a brave boy, but before he had an opportunity of killing any one, he was arrested for carrying concealed weapons, and taken before Justice Albert, who imposed on him the snug little sum of $25 and costs.

Mike Cooney, of whom we wrote yesterday, gave an order of $26,36, on Col. Harris of the rolling mill, which was accepted.

Noose-papers Issued.—Since August 17th, the following marriage licenses have been granted, notwithstanding the intense heat.

James Anderson and Miss Sarah E. Remer.

Chas. D. Stearns and Miss Mary E. Mcconnell.

James N. Havie and Miss Emma C. Rundells.

Daniel Phillips and Miss Mary A. Roper.

Warren C. Vermillion and Miss Annie B. Spangler.

William Sloat and Miss Mary A. Martin.

Reliable.—G. F. Hargis is doing an enormous business, and his sales are always satisfactory. Yesterday three new instruments were delivered, and contracts are being made for the sale of others. Mr. Hargis keeps a full supply of pianos, organs, violins, sheet music, etc., of superior finish and quality. This house has won an enviable reputation because no attempt has been made to deceive the people. Remember 17 East Main street is the place.

...[illegible] Moore's old gray is about ready to superannuate. He is 22 years of age

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German Meeting.—Dr. Theodore Canisius, of Aurora, one of the most accomplished orators in Illinois, will address his fellow-citizens at the Court House on Tuesday evening.

Another Rally.—About 100 Tanner boys met at the court house at 7½ o'clock last night. Ninety-three names were enrolled, each name being accompanied with $1.25, or a pledge to pay the same, for the purchase of uniforms. $31,50 was collected at the meeting. Chas. Holt presided, and A. H. Locke was appointed Secretary. A Juvenile Band has been organized, and the boys composing the companies will march on to certain victory.

The following officers were elected:

COMPANY A.

Captain—Park Hammer.
1st Lieut.—John Bunn.
2d Lieut.—Burt Hardy.
Orderly Sergeant—Charles Taylor.

COMPANY B.

Captain—James Moore.
1st Lieutenant—Weldon Coltrin.
2d Lieutenant—Geo. Wingate.
Orderly Sergeant—Frank Calhoun.

Charles Holt was elected Colonel, by acclamation.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, Aug. 27, 1872.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel.......... $	1.30
" White	1.35
" New white ℔ bus	1,10@1.25
" New red	1,00@1 20
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5,00
" red "	1.60
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings,	2,50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	,70
RYE—℔ bushel	,35
CORN—℔ bushel	25
" shelled, per bush	27
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	8,00@10,00
OATS—℔ bushel	15@18
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	20
BUTTER—℔ ℔	,08
EGGS—per doz.	06½
LARD—℔ ℔	,06
BACON—Sides,	,10
HAMS—sugar-cured,	,07
SHOULDERS—per ℔	3,25@3,50
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,50@6,00
CATTLE— "	
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	3,50@4,00
" " sheared	,25
POTATOES—per bu	Nominal.
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	
APPLES—	
" Green ℔ bus	25@35
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@31
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleece wash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" " and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	6½@6,07
" Salted cured,	8½@8,09
" Calf,	,12½@,12
" Dry salt,	,12½
" Dry Flint,	,18
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	,50@,60
" Common, ℔ ℔	,25@,40

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MESSRS. HALLETT, DAVIS & CO.—*Dear Sirs:* The instrument of this kind (Orchestral Grand) which I have examined at your warerooms contained two prominent points of excellence, viz: the quality of its musical tone, and the lightness and greatness of its action.

A piano-forte is so often unsatisfactory on account of its variety in quality of tone in the different registers, that it would seem that much has been achieved when no such unevenness exists. The action of the instrument was not only easy and light, but what is very important, quiet and free from noise in its working. I have mentioned these two features of the *tout ensemble* of the piano-forte because they particularly attracted my attention. Allow me to congratulate you upon your success in the manufacture of piano-fortes, and believe me, sincerely yours,

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court, August term, A. D. 187[illegible].

To All Persons Concerned:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Enoch W. Moore, guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather, and William J. Quinlan, guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather, will by petition make application to the County Court of said Macon county, at the August term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said county, on the Third Monday of August, A. D. 1872, for an order of sale of the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot No. 10, in block No. 10, in Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to Decatur; lot No. 14, in block No. 2, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to Decatur; lot No. 3, in block No. 4, Oglesby & Watt's addition to Decatur; also, commencing 80 feet east of the north-west corner of block No. 1, in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, running thence south to the north line of Cerro Gordo street, thence east along the north line of Cerro Gordo street 50 feet, thence north to the north line of said block, thence west along the north line of said block 50 feet to the place of beginning; also, lot No. 8, in block No. 6, in Durfee & King's addition to the city of Decatur; also, commencing 30 feet west and 100 feet north from the northwest corner of Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to the city of Decatur, thence north 80 feet, west 202 feet to an alley, south 80 feet, thence east 202 feet to the place of beginning, fronting on Water street—excepting 6 feet north and south and 26 feet east and west, in the south-west corner of said lot. Also, the west half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. 21, township 16, north, range No. 1 east of the third principal meridian, excepting 3 31-100 acres off of the north end, sold to A. C. Miller for the purpose of investing the proceeds in the redemption of the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the centre of section No. 18, township 16, north, range 3, east of the 3d P. M., in Macon county, Illinois, thence west 20 chains and 15 links to the southwest corner of lot 1 of the northwest quarter of said section 18, thence north 9 chains and 68 links to a stone, thence east 20 chains and 11 links to the north and south quarter section line, thence south 9 chains and 68 links to the place of beginning, containing 19 49-100 acres, from a certain mortgage executed by William Prather, late of said county, to one Peter Crain, bearing date September 10, 1866, and upon which there is now due about $67[illegible]. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from a certain mortgage executed by the said William Prather to the County Superintendent of Schools of Macon county, bearing date June 26, 1868, and upon which there is now due about $27[illegible]. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half of lot No. 1, in the southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from sale under a decree of the Macon County Circuit Court, rendered at the July term, A. D. 1871, upon foreclosure of a Trust Deed executed by the said William Prather to one A. J. Gallagher, Trustee, and upon which there is now due about $1370.

ENOCH W. MOORE,
Guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather.

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Decatur, July 25, 1872-2m.

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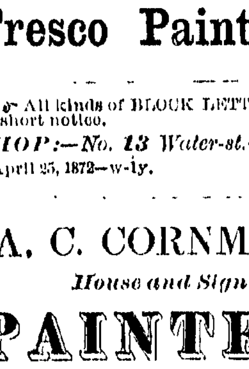
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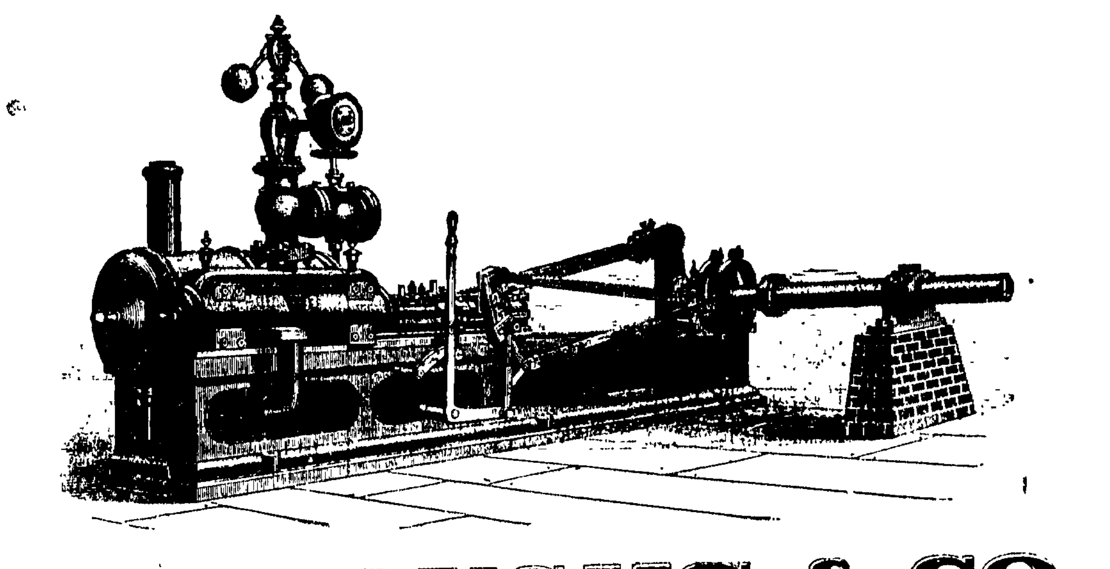
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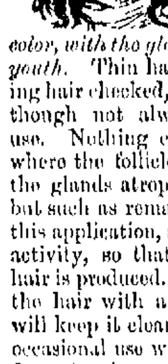
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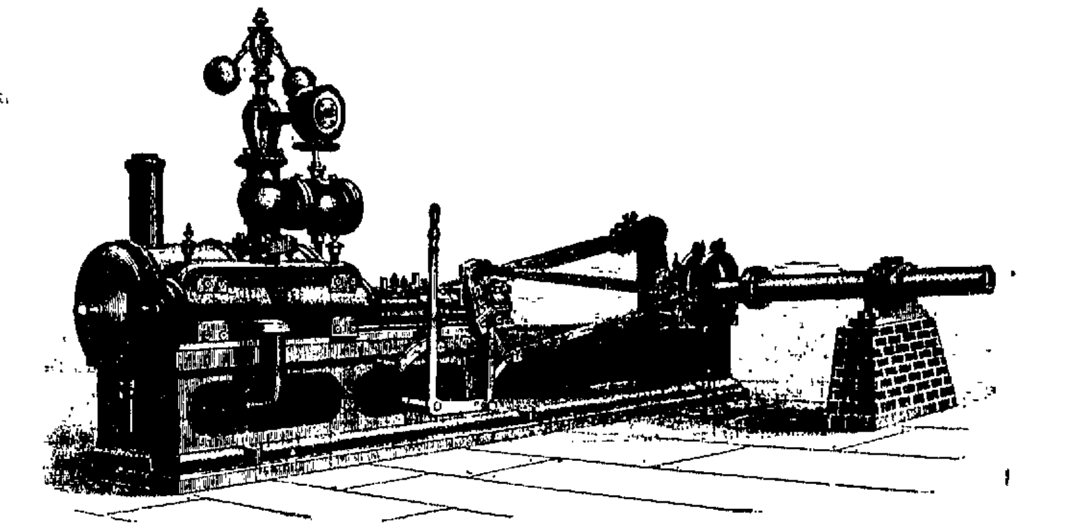
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